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MARGARINE PRODUCTION

AUGUST 1941

Reports from manufacturers of margarine to the United States Department of Agriculture indicate that 24,720,000 pounds of that product were produced during August 1941.

This quantity is 3,111,000 pounds greater than that manufactured during August 1940, but 1,552,000 pounds below the average production for August for the 5 years 1936-40.

Of the total quantity produced 3,214,000 pounds or 13 percent, were manufactured from animal and vegetable oils and 21,506,000 pounds or 87 percent from vegetable and nut oils.

Date	Animal and		Vegetable and		Total
	Vegetable Oils	Nut Oils	Uncolored	Colored	
<u>Thousand pounds</u>					
August 1941	3,134	80	21,539	167	24,720
August 1940	3,231	40	18,192	146	21,609
August 5 year average 1936-1940	3,144	56	22,968	104	26,272

1940-1941

1940

August . . . . .	3,231	:	40	:	18,192	:	146	:	21,609
September . . . . .	3,283	:	34	:	22,958	:	173	:	26,448
October . . . . .	3,653	:	38	:	26,313	:	176	:	30,160
November . . . . .	3,544	:	52	:	26,174	:	224	:	29,994
December . . . . .	4,536	:	55	:	27,699	:	175	:	32,465

1941

January . . . . .	4,861	:	62	:	28,743	:	343	:	34,009
February . . . . .	3,352	:	47	:	24,386	:	287	:	28,072
March . . . . .	4,583	:	61	:	29,053	:	230	:	33,927
April . . . . .	4,450	:	59	:	27,509	:	353	:	32,171
May . . . . .	3,806	:	348	:	22,563	:	1,040	:	27,757
June . . . . .	3,174	:	57	:	21,569	:	242	:	25,042
July . . . . .	3,574	:	62	:	23,512	:	218	:	27,366
August . . . . .	3,134	:	80	:	21,339	:	167	:	24,720

Yearly Totals

Total 1940 . . . . .	40,881	:	474	:	277,375	:	1,942	:	320,672
Total 1939 . . . . .	34,492	:	392	:	265,901	:	1,045	:	301,830
Total 1938 . . . . .	38,267	:	500	:	340,300	:	1,026	:	380,093
Total 1937 . . . . .	40,320	:	748	:	349,477	:	955	:	391,500
Total 1936 . . . . .	48,090	:	1,419	:	340,137	:	1,252	:	390,898
Total 1935 . . . . .	46,087	:	1,890	:	329,764	:	936	:	378,677

